

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please amend paragraph 33 as follows:

In addition, thru lumen tubing 152 is fixed only at a distal end ~~170~~ 171 by being thermally fused to proximal end 122 of deflectable tip 120, and is not connected along any other portion of non-deflectable portion 108 and steerable portion 114. As a result, thru lumen tubing 152 is free to slide within shaft 106 during deflection of steerable portion 114 through manipulation of manipulator wire 140 by advancement and retraction of deflection adjustment slide 104 within slotted opening 144 of handle 102.